



Captain Robert D. Vint, USN Comptroller Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command

Captain Robert D. Vint is a native of San Diego and a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy with a Bachelor of Science Degree in European Studies and the Naval Post Graduate School with a Master of Science degree in Financial Management.

After completion of flight training in 1976, Captain Vint reported aboard Helicopter Combat Support Squadron 3 (HC-3) in San Diego as a vertical replenishment pilot and deployed three times to the Western Pacific/Indian Ocean. In December of 1982, he transferred to the helicopter amphibious assault ship USS New Orleans (LPH-11) serving as Assistant Air Operations Officer and Assistant Air Officer. Following this tour he attended Naval Post Graduate School in Monterey.

In April of 1987, Captain Vint returned to Helicopter Combat Support Squadron 3 as Operations Officer. There he screened for command and reported to Helicopter Combat Support Squadron 6 in Norfolk, Virginia in July 1989 serving as Executive Officer and Commanding Officer. In September 1991, the Captain reported aboard pre-commissioning unit for the *Wasp* class amphibious assault ship, the USS Essex (LHD-2) in Pascagoula, Mississippi. He served as prospective Air Officer aboard the *Essex* prior to his transfer in January 1994 to the Joint Staff's Logistics Readiness Center (Logistics Directorate) in Washington as Deputy Division Chief. He completed his tour of duty in July 1997 and reported to Commander, Naval Air Forces, U.S. Atlantic Fleet as the comptroller.

Following consolidation of various comptroller responsibilities at Commander-in-Chief, Atlantic Fleet, Captain Vint served as acting N6 (Communications) and Force Y2K Coordinator at Commander, Naval Air Forces Atlantic. In February 2000, he assumed the duties as Comptroller, Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command in San Diego.

Captain Vint has accumulated over 3,000 rotary-wing flight hours in his career. His awards include Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Meritorious Unit Commendation (2 awards), Battle "E" (5 awards) and Navy Expeditionary Medal.